

Table C-69. Federal obligations for basic research performed at universities and colleges in physical and environmental sciences, by selected agency and detailed field of science: fiscal year 2000

[Dollars in thousands]

Agency and subdivision	Physical sciences					Environmental sciences				
	Total	Astronomy	Chemistry	Physics	Physical sciences, n.e.c.	Total	Atmospheric	Geological	Oceanography	Environmental sciences, n.e.c.
Total, all agencies	1,216,740	144,135	423,183	526,605	122,817	747,852	171,293	135,627	226,043	214,889
Departments:										
Department of Agriculture, total	9,084	0	9,000	84	0	1,141	1,138	3	0	0
Agricultural Research Service	1,794	0	1,710	84	0	119	116	3	0	0
Cooperative State Research, Education, & Extension Service	7,097	0	7,097	0	0	580	580	0	0	0
Forest Service	193	0	193	0	0	442	442	0	0	0
Department of Defense, total	92,697	0	40,876	42,810	9,011	72,510	8,634	2,756	59,751	1,369
Defense Agencies, total	33,445	0	12,592	20,853	0	12,602	2,952	1,779	7,871	0
Defense Adv Rsch Projects Agcy	2,020	0	0	2,020	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington Headquarters Svcs	31,425	0	12,592	18,833	0	12,602	2,952	1,779	7,871	0
Department of the Air Force	23,919	0	12,054	7,900	3,965	962	962	0	0	0
Department of the Army	11,547	0	4,902	5,818	827	3,290	944	977	0	1,369
Department of the Navy	23,786	0	11,328	8,239	4,219	55,656	3,776	0	51,880	0
Department of Energy	324,173	0	44,869	279,304	0	70,982	27,323	26,267	4,289	13,103
Dept of Health & Human Svcs, total	193,627	0	188,415	0	5,212	114,720	0	0	0	114,720
National Institutes of Health ¹	193,627	0	188,415	0	5,212	114,720	0	0	0	114,720
Other agencies:										
National Aeronautics & Space Admin ²	167,587	96,480	6,958	42,834	21,315	157,748	61,805	13,924	9,708	72,311
National Science Foundation	429,572	47,655	133,065	161,573	87,279	330,751	72,393	92,677	152,295	13,386

¹ Beginning in the fiscal year 2000, the National Institutes of Health classified all of its development activities as research.

² Beginning in fiscal year 2000, the National Aeronautics & Space Administration reclassified Space Station as a physical asset and Space Station Research as equipment, and transferred funding for the program from R&D to R&D plant.

KEY: n.e.c. = Not elsewhere classified

NOTES: Only the following six agencies are required to report to this section of the survey: the Departments of Agriculture, Defense, Energy, and Health and Human Services; the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and the National Science Foundation. The basic research obligations of the six agencies included in this table represent approximately 99 percent of total Federal basic research obligations to universities and colleges in fiscal year 2000.

Data for only those agencies and sub-divisions that had obligations in the variables represented by this table appear in the table. For a complete list of the Federal agencies that have been included in the Federal funds survey, refer to appendix A. For additional notes associated with the agencies listed in this table, refer to appendix B.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, Survey of Federal Funds for Research and Development: Fiscal Years 2000, 2001, and 2002